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"GRANDPAPA'S' CHAT WITH "FIST".

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1. GRANDPAPA [DEDUSHKA][i] had a chat [a group unrecovered] with the chief candidate of the BEAR CURS [MEDVESHA][ii] (henceforth "FIST" [KULAK][iii]) [about] [a] the latter's [C] invitation]. If the SYNDICATE [SYNDICAT][iv] has not advised you [about this][v] I can pass on the contents of the chat, which was of interest, from what GRANDPAPA related.

2. Expedite a reply to No. 338[v].

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[T.N. and Comments overleaf]

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T.N.: [a] Inserted by the translator.

Comments: [i] DEDUSHKA: Evgenij Dmitrievich KISELEV, Soviet Consul-General in NEW YORK.

[ii] MEDVEZHATA: the Republicans.

[iii] KULAK: Thomas E. DEWEY.

[iv] SINDIKAT: the People's Commissariat of Foreign Affairs.

[v] NEW YORK's external serial No. 626 of 5 May 1944 [S/NBF/T86].

[vi] MAJ: Pavel Ivanovich FEDOSIMOV.

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